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Appeal No. 2006-1806  
Application No. 10/015,387

**ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL**

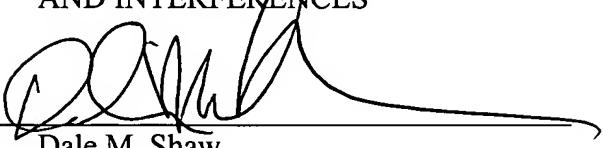
On July 15, 2005, appellants filed a Notice of Appeal. On July 12, 2006, appellants filed a communication requesting that this application be withdrawn.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the appeal filed July 15, 2005, is dismissed.

The application is being returned to the examiner for further action as may be appropriate.

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